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IRON MOUNTAIN RAILS SPREAD--31 HURT

HEAVY RAINS IN MISSOURI WASHED OUT THE GRADE, AND CHAIR CAR, COACH AND SLEEPER WERE DERAILED

PASSENGERS CRAWLED OUT OF WINDOWS AFTER THE COACHES WERE OVERTURNED

Physicians Who Accompanied the Relief Train State That Probably None of the Injured Will Die. Weight of Train Caused Rails to Spread. List of the Persons Injured.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—Spreading rails today caused a wreck on the St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern railroad near Vulcan, Mo., 125 miles from here, in which 31 persons were injured, six seriously.

The train, a south bound passenger known as the Hot Springs Special, left here about 4 hours previously. Seriously injured:

Pat Martin, Pocatamos, Ark.
W. W. Strothers, DesArc, Ark.
Dr. S. S. Baker, White, Ark.
R. S. Hays, Fayette, Mo.
Mrs. J. W. Michaels, Little Rock, Ark.

H. H. Hill, Little Rock, Ark.

It was stated at the general offices of the Iron Mountain route tonight that the wreck was caused by the recent heavy rains. The train is a fast special and was running well up to the schedule time when the accident occurred. The baggage and chair cars, a day coach and a sleeper, left the rails and overturned.

At the place where the wreck occurred, the track is on a level with the surrounding country so that the derailed cars did not fall down an embankment as to this is attributed the fact that none were killed.

A special train brought the injured to St. Louis and there were taken to hospitals or homes, as they desired. Physicians who accompanied the relief train, stated tonight that in their opinion, none of the injured would die.

BOXERS ARE ACTIVE.

October 17th Fixed as the Date for Extermination of Foreigners.

Shanghai, Sept. 27.—Reports received from the northwest part of the province of Shantung say that the Shantung Boxers are openly distributing prospectuses, couched in the same language as those circulated before the uprising of 1900. These prospectuses order, precisely similar observances and fix October 17 next as the date for the extermination of all foreigners.

Lady Curzon Relapses.

Walmer Castle, Kent, Sept. 27, 7:30 p. m.—Lady Curzon's improvement was not maintained today. She is much exhausted this evening.

QUARTETTE OF SUICIDES.

New Orleans Has Four of Them Within Twenty-four Hours.

New Orleans, Sept. 27.—Four suicides have occurred here in the last 24 hours.

Maud Mars quarreled with her lover, and jumped into the river.

Louis Heller, a cooper, stabbed himself in the breast.

Gene Phillips, a negro porter, was reading reports of suicides and swallowed two ounces of carbolic acid.

Alabama River Low.

Mobile, Sept. 27.—The Alabama river has become so low that it has been declared unnavigable and river steamers will be laid up till a rise. The banks are lined with cotton and the low water will cause thousands of dollars loss. Old river men say the condition is unprecedented.

PLUGGED BY PEONS.

Jesus Camillo, Who Refused to Pay More Wages Buried Today.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 27.—In an attack which was made upon him today by his employees owing to his refusal to increase wages, Jesus Camillo, a mine owner, at Sabinal Mexico, was shot and killed. The man who did the shooting was arrested. All of the others who made up the attacking party managed to escape.

Senator Hear Dying.

Worcester, Mass., Sept. 27.—At 5 o'clock tonight Dr. Gilman, Senator Hear's physician, expressed the belief that the senator would not live through the night. He is unable to swallow, is unconscious, and his vitality is almost gone.

CATHOLICISM IN CONGRESS

BISHOPS, ARCHBISHOPS AND A THOUSAND PRIESTS MEET IN NEW YORK.

IS THIRD GENERAL EUCHARIST

Pope as Special Mark of Favor Granted Three Indulgences to Those Taking Part in the Services.—Message to Pius X.

New York, Sept. 27.—No event in the history of the Roman Catholic church in the United States has ever brought together so many prelates, priests, and members of the hierarchy as the third general Eucharistic congress, which was opened today with a solemn pontifical mass at St. Patrick's cathedral. The congress will continue three days.

During the continuation of the solemn Te Deum at St. Patrick's, similar services will be held daily in all churches within this jurisdiction.

Pope Pius X as a special mark of his favor, has granted three special indulgences to those attending these services. The pope by a special letter, has commended the spirit of the congress and the message will be delivered to the delegates, consisting of more than one thousand priests, a dozen archbishops, fully a score of bishops and monsignors and ecclesiastics of high orders, by Mgr. Falconio, apostolic delegate to the United States. Manager Falconio will represent the pontiff at the congress and Bishop Camillus B. Maes of Covington, Ky., who has been foremost in furthering the Eucharistic league movement, will preside at the congress.

After a procession of the visiting priests and prelates, mass was celebrated by Archbishop Farley. The sermon, which was the keynote of the congress, was delivered by Mgr. Joe F. Mooney, vicar general of New York.

At the suggestion of Archbishop Farley, the archbishops, bishops, monsignors and clergy united in sending a message of thanks to Pius X, and the following bearing the signature of the archbishop of New York, was cabled to Rome:

"The third Eucharistic congress of the United States assembled in the cathedral of New York, thanks the holy father, Pope Pius X most cordially for the paternal love and blessing contained in his official brief and salutes him with filial love and loyalty."

Japs Near Vental Mines.

Mukden, Sept. 26, via Pekin, Sept. 27.—The Russian cavalry west of the railroad report an important Japanese movement, with a threatened attack. No change eastward is reported. Four divisions of Japanese are at Bentaspang, three divisions are supposed to be near the Vental mine, and two others west of them. Gen. Mischenko reports that he penetrated to the Vental mines and found only small detachments of Japanese there.

particular else a grave breach of international law. Ask you to telegraph me at once if Mr. Curney was arrested and fined in spite of protest. Other channels of redress are open in case of the violation of Massachusetts laws by the diplomatic representatives of other nations. Therefore if fine was imposed and collected, the commonwealth will apologize. The fine must be remitted and I need not suggest to one so respected as you the personal amend that you will of course, desire to make to Mr. Curney for the error on method adopted by your court in this unusual case. Kindly forward me affidavit of the evidence of any breach of Massachusetts laws.

(Signed.)

"CURTIS GUILD,"
"Lieut. Governor,"
"Acting Governor."

Lieut. Gov. Guild said that no further action would be taken until he had heard from Judge Phelps.

The Blunderer is Mum.

Pittsfield, Mass., Sept. 27.—Judge Phelps today was averse to discussing the Curney case.

"If I find that I have made a mistake, I will gladly apologize," he said. "I did only what I believed to be right."

Putting the Law in Motion.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 27.—The attorney general today at the request of the state telegraphed United States Attorney Mendenhall to take the steps necessary to secure Mr. Curney to all his legal rights. He made a full investigation of the facts and to report the matter to the department at his earliest convenience.

WAR BULLETIN.

Indications point to the imminence of a forward movement of the Japanese armies against the Russians at Tie Pass, Simlinitin, and Mukden. Gen. Kuropatkin is fortifying Fakoman northeast of Mukden, that he may be prepared for the contingency of the evacuation of Simlinitin. Reports of a naval engagement with the southeastern extremity of Sakhalin are not verified, to the contrary, it is believed the Vladivostok squadron remains in the harbor. There is no news from Port Arthur.

WROTE LETTERS TO PRESIDENT

MAN WITH FONDNESS FOR WRITING LETTERS WINDS UP IN FORT DODGE JAIL.

WANTED TO MARRY HELEN GOULD

Experts Who Examined Him For Insanity Claim That the Offender Is in His Right Mind.—Had J. J. Hill on His List.

Des Moines, Sept. 27.—Charged with writing and sending obscene letters to President Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt and Helen Gould, a man giving his name as Edward Dahlheimer, has been arrested by the United States authorities and lodged in jail at Fort Dodge. The letter alleged to have been written by Dahlheimer to the president threatens his life unless certain reforms are made. The one to Miss Gould proposes marriage. The letter to Miss Roosevelt is not made public. It is alleged that the prisoner also wrote to J. J. Hill, asking him to intercede at Washington and have the gold standard changed to diamonds, as a medium of exchange.

Dahlheimer was arrested at Emmett, Iowa, where he was brought before the commissioners of insanity and pronounced to be in his right mind. It is claimed that Dahlheimer wrote the letters in South Dakota, and he will probably be taken to Sioux Falls for trial.

BANQUETED HIS GRACE.

Archbishop of Canterbury Meets 400 Nobles at Astor House.

New York, Sept. 27.—His Grace, the archbishop of Canterbury, was the guest of honor at a dinner this evening, given by the church club of New York, in the banquet hall of the hotel Astor.

At the guests' table, was the official head of the church of England and the Episcopal denomination, sat Geo. MacCulloch Miller, president of the church club who occupied a chair at the archbishop's right. At the left sat Bishop Potter, head of the church in New York. Others at the table were Mayor Geo. B. McClellan, Right Rev. Geo. Worthington Bishop of Nebraska, Wendell Nicolas Murray Butler of Columbia university.

More than 400 guests including the leading prelates and churchmen of the Episcopal faith in New York and vicinity were present.

American Suicides in Berlin.

Berlin, Sept. 27.—A dispatch from Strasburg announces that D. H. Goos, president of the American Institute there, has shot and killed himself.

KID MCCOY WINS.

Slugged Sullivan to a Finish in Twenty Rounds, at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Sept. 27.—Kid McCoy was given the decision over Jack "Twin" Sullivan of Boston at the end of the twenty rounds at the pavilion tonight. The fight was a fierce one from the start, both men taking advantage of every rule that was short of actual fouling. McCoy punished Sullivan severely, having his nose and mouth bleeding in every round after the fifth.

Vesuvius Becomes Calmer.

Naples, Sept. 27.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius has greatly diminished. The stones ejected from the crater do not now rise beyond a height of 100 feet. The authorities have relaxed the restrictions placed upon the public.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 27.—Western Texas: Showers and cooler Wednesday, except fair in extreme west portion; Thursday fair; Louisiana: Showers Wednesday; cooler in west portion; Thursday, showers; cooler in the interior; Fresh north winds; Eastern Texas: Showers Wednesday; cooler in northwest portion; Thursday, showers and cooler; Fresh to brisk north winds on the coast.

MARSHAL OYAMA SPREADS OUT HIS NET

THE PRESIDENT'S UNKNOWN PROXY

FORGED CAMPAIGN DOCUMENTS APPEAR IN COLORADO MINERS' ORGAN.

ADDRESSED TO MICHAEL DONNELLY

In Spurious Statement Mr. Roosevelt is Made to denounce Unionism and Class It With Lynching—He Denies the Imputation.

Butte, Montana, Sept. 27.—When Senator Falkenberg and his party arrived here they found the republican leaders much exercised over the publication in the miner's magazine, published at Denver by the Western Federation of miners which purported to be a denunciation of labor unions by President Roosevelt and a denial of its authenticity by the president. The President's contention was sent to Former Senator Lee Maudie in response to a telegram of inquiry from him, and was as follows: White House, Washington. Your telegram received. The letter you refer to purporting to be addressed to me to Michael Donnelly and printed in the "Miner's Magazine" of September 22, is of course, an absurd and impudent forgery. I have written no such letter, nor any letter even resembling it to Mr. Donnelly nor anyone else. I have written Donnelly requesting to know if he has received any such letter and requesting him, if so, to at once lay it before the district attorney of Chicago to find out whether it is possible to discover and punish the forgers.

(Signed) "THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Story of the Letter.

The letter in which the president is represented to have made his attack on union labor was addressed to Michael Donnelly, of Chicago, president of the butchers and meat cutters' union. The document is given in full with President Roosevelt's name attached, but without date, and it is stated that it was written in response to an appeal by Donnelly to him to interfere for the settlement of the late butchers' strike. Following are some extracts from it: "I stand ready to do as my illustrious predecessor, Grover Cleveland did, and assert the power of this nation against all local bullies. Last summer I felt impelled to write a letter calling upon my countrymen to put down lynching. But labor union terrorism and crime are as great a national menace as lynching."

"Let me tell you that the first duty of the officers of the law, whether they be sheriff, constable, municipal officer, miners, governors, or the president himself, is to maintain public order and put down the mob with an iron hand."

After advising Donnelly to put a stop to the strike the president is represented as saying: "In any case be assured I will keep my hands off unless your folly brings you into collision with the laws of the United States, when my hand will go on in a way you will not like. So far as I am concerned you have barked up the wrong tree. I am not to be either wheedled or frightened into meddling with what is none of my business."

Hill Acquitted of Lynching.

Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 27.—The jury in the case of Ben Hill, alleged lyncher, returned a verdict this afternoon of not guilty.

Fatal Gale off Labrador.

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 27.—The steamer Virginia from Labrador, reports that the coast was swept by a heavy sea last week and that 11 vessels mostly fish laden, were driven ashore, the greater portion of them being totally wrecked. Seven sailors belonging to two craft were drowned.

COTTON MILLS ADVANCE WAGES.

North Carolina Manufacturers of Yarn are Willing to Pay More.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 27.—Pursuant to a recent call by leading cotton mill men acting independently of any organization about fifty sponsors representing a total of 47,494 spindles engaged in the manufacture of hard yarns in North and South Carolina met here today and agreed upon an advance scale of prices.

The following gentlemen were accepted as an advisory committee: J. A. Alcorn, of Lenoir; N. C.; W. C. Heath of Monroe; Geo. H. Hise of Charlotte and J. P. Wilson, and A. C. Miller of Shelby.

Port Arthur Red Cross.

Constant, Sept. 27.—The local Red Cross Society has received a telegram from Port Arthur, by way of the Post, announcing that all the Sisters of Mercy there are well.

WILY JAPANESE GENERAL CAREFULLY MOVES HIS BATTALIONS FOR AN ENVELOPING EVENT AT MUKDEN.

IF KUROPATKIN TRIES TO HOLD THE CITY HIS FLANKS WILL BE ATTACKED QUICKLY

The Fate of Mukden Will Soon be Decided by Either a Japanese Defeat or Another Foot-Race--Absence of News From Port Arthur Indicates a Tightening of Blockade Lines.

KILLED HIMSELF FOR A WOMAN

THE FOLLY OF CARLO VON BAUDITZ WHO LOVED TOO MADLY.

STORY OF GREEN EYED MONSTER

Suicide Was a Wealthy Venezuelan on a Visit to New York, and was Apparently in the Trammel of His First Affair.

New York, Sept. 27.—Because a young woman with whom he was infatuated had refused to recognize him when they met in a fashionable cafe last night, Carlo Fredericus Von Bauditz, a wealthy young Venezuelan, shot himself in his apartment at the hotel Endicott.

From a friend of the suicide, it has been learned that Von Bauditz had trouble with the woman several days ago, when he met her in company with another man. After a stormy scene the woman promised, it is said, not to offend again. Last evening, while Von Bauditz and two friends were at dinner in the cafe, the woman and another man entered and took seats at a table near them. The woman, according to Von Bauditz's friends, did not appear to notice her admirer. Von Bauditz became excited, and causing such a scene that the waiters asked his friends to take him out of the restaurant. Von Bauditz had consented to leave the place, shouting as he did so: "I will kill myself. She is false. I have nothing more to live for."

Soon after he reached his room at the hotel, a pistol shot was heard and the young man's body was found lying on the floor. He died instantly. A note addressed to "whom it may concern" said: "No one to blame; I did it myself."

A second letter asked that some of his personal property be given to the woman, who had spurned him.

LAWYERS MEETING.

Interesting Papers Read Before the Association at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—The American bar association met today. At the conclusion of reports, a recess was taken. When the association again assembled Benjamin Abbott, of Georgia, spoke on "to what extent will a nation protect its citizens in foreign countries?"

The association then listened to reports of special committees.

The annual address of Hon. Amos M. Thayer, circuit judge of St. Louis, was read by Judge Franklin Percy, also of this city.

Judge Thayer was present, but owing to a heavy cold was unable to deliver the address himself. The subject of the address was "the Louisiana Purchase, its influence and development under American rule."

A lengthy discussion followed the presentation of the report of the committee on jurisprudence and law reform. The report was adopted with the exception of that section concerning the taxation of property which was referred to the committee on uniformity of laws.

The report of the committee on judicial administration and court procedure was received and laid on the table.

The report of the committee on international laws was read, after which the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the American bar association concurs in the resolution adopted by the national arbitration conference at Washington, January 12, 1904.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Secretary of State of the United States.

ST. PETERSBURG RETICENT.

Entire Absence of News From Port Arthur Indicates Close Blockade.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 28, 2:05 a. m.—The war commission adjourned last evening early without issuing further news from the front.

A Mukden telegram to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger, reporting that the Japanese had crossed the Hun river 50 miles above the city, is believed to refer to the scouting parties of Japanese whose presence was recorded in the Associated Press dispatches of September 26. The movement of the Japanese forces on the Liao river which was reported in a dispatch from Gen. Sakharoff to the general staff on September 26 is all the more significant since Shanshan is the starting point of roads leading to Tie Pass, Mukden and Simlinitin. The announcement that the Russians are fortifying Fakoman, 25 miles north east of Mukden, shows that General Kuropatkin is preparing to check the flanking movement on Tie Pass from the west in case Simlinitin is evacuated.

No News From Port Arthur.

The entire absence of news from Port Arthur, it is feared, indicates a closer blockade there. Hitherto, dispatches from Gen. Stoessel have been coming semi-weekly.

Prince Svyatopolk-Mirsky was received in audience today by the emperor. The prince will assume charge of the ministry of the interior on September 29.

Japs Lost 1,300 at Port Arthur.

London, Sept. 27.—A telegram to a local news agency from St. Petersburg says: A dispatch has been received by the official news agency there from Harbin, saying that the Japanese lost 1,300 men killed during the night attack on Port Arthur, of September 18.

The Russian war ships, it is added, rendered assistance in repulsing the Japanese.

Japanese Resume the Offensive.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.—The general staff has received the following dispatch from Gen. Sakharoff, dated yesterday:

"The enemy's vanguard, consisting of one battalion and two squadrons of cavalry, has assumed the offensive probably for a reconnaissance in the district between the Mandarin road and the heights of the village of Tounghai. His advance was stopped by our troops. The enemy has not yet advanced north of Davan, on the left bank of the Liao river, but an increased force has been observed in the neighborhood of Shanshan. Japanese cavalry have appeared in the valley of the Liao river."